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I. SIGNIFICANT ITEMS

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2. This school has been advised unofficially by FDD that another course similar to the one recently given to FDD people in will be requested for an additional 20 to 25 of their people. The most appropriate time for such a course appears to be January under the present schedule.

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II. OTHER ACTIVITIES

1. The dry run of the "Party Leader" teaching process worked out quite satisfactorily in the O&O course. However, for the purpose of additional lectures in that course as well as lectures in the JOT Program, it will be revised to some extent and used only in the most appropriate subjects.

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2. [] and I have been considering what should be included in the JOT Notebook. It is not quite clear to us just what is desired. I can understand that a notebook with certain basic documents such as an intelligence glossary and possibly a bibliography would be useful but I am not sure just what items within the framework of this school's course should be included. At present it is our intention to include two speeches by the DCI on the threat of Communism and a short summary of the objectives of the course, together with an outline of the lectures.

3. A direct approach not only to the Training Officers in DDP, but to several of the division chiefs appears to have produced at least two ^{more} applicants for the Anti-Communist Operations course beginning September 2nd.

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4. I have reviewed with [] his participation in the Effective Speaking course. Although he will be fairly busy during the September and October running of the course, it appears that it will be more desirable to have him included then rather than to wait until January. I found I had been misinformed and that the course is expected to have applicants other than those two from this school for the September session. As a result I withdraw the suggestion that the hours of the course be reconsidered. Although I understand that the teacher of the Effective Speaking course does not wish to do tutorial work, I should like to pursue further the possibility of having him sit in on at least part of a lecture by the various instructors in this school. Both [] and [] feel that this would be particularly useful as the Effective Speaking course seems to be more directed toward short, concise briefing efforts and less toward the type of lecture being given here.

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[] appeared to be stimulating to the staff and I think worthwhile to the other participants. It gave the members of the staff an opportunity to review our activities and some of the extra-curricular interests such as the compilations by [] of the volumes on "Isms".

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6. As I have given you verbally Mr. Amory's reactions to the course which he took here, I will not repeat these.

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